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For: ROTATION TRANSMISSION MEMBER,
ROTATION TRANSMISSION ASSEMBLY,
AND GEAR MECHANISM

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 17, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 9 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.